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IN RE APPLICATION OF: Benjamin M. Rice
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FOR : SWITCH CONTROLLER FOR A POWER CONTROL
SYSTEM AND METHOD THEREFOR
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A first office action has not been received.

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Respectfully submitted,

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